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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND

MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE SAME

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Sir:

In conjunction with the filing of the present Request for Continued Examination, Applicants request that the above application be amended as follows and reconsidered the application in light of the following remarks.

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This paper includes (each beginning on a separate sheet):

1. Amendments to the Claims, reflected in the complete listing of the claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper;
2. Remarks/Discussion of issues, which begin on page 12 of this paper;